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YOU CAN HELP THOSE PEOPLE

By Contributing to the Local Relief Fund



This Crippled Belgian Women was Carried in a Wheelbarrow from Brussels to Ghent in a Long Procession of Red Cross

LOCAL JOTTINGS

Carsland people are now getting a daily mail service over the new road by trains Nos. 1 and 2.

At the service in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday at 11 a.m., Rev. A. Boyd will speak (D.V.) on "Conscience."

The new Tudor Hall will be opened tomorrow evening by an entertainment, supper and dance. The hall is a very commodious one, and will furnish a fine place for the social gatherings of the district.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid Concert and Sale of Work on October 30 realized a net amount of \$120, a very satisfactory total.

The Dairy Industry Act, 1914, provides that dairy butter shall be branded or branded with the words dairy butter, and the authorities suggest that each farmer should in addition print his name on the wrapper.

Mr. C. H. Wooster, brother of Mr. H. R. Wooster, and formerly of the Union Bank and with the C.P.R. survey staff is now serving his country in the capacity of Lieutenant in the Queen's Own West Surrey Regiment, and expects to leave shortly for the front.

The Great West Saddlery Co., Calgary has received a big order for saddles from the Imperial Government, and Mr. J. Saunders is gone to work with that firm leaving on Saturday. His son will have charge of the local business during his absence.

Try the high-class wines, liquors and cigars, at the Maple Leaf Hotel, combined with the prompt service they are unequalled.

HELP THE EMPIRE

By Helping the Men Who are Fighting Its Battles
What Strathmore is Doing

No less than three movements which have their genesis in the European War are active in Strathmore, and the people of the town and district have given them their hearty support.

THE STRATHMORE PATRIOTIC SOCIETY

has already shipped, as noted last issue a big bale of goods for the troops, manufactured by the ladies, and are preparing another big shipment.

At a committee meeting held on Wednesday, they decided unanimously to give \$100 to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, and \$60 to the Belgian Relief Fund. This brings their funds down to \$23.78, and they appeal to the generosity of the local people for money to purchase materials for the ladies to make in comfort for the troops.

Queen Mary has made an appeal

for 250,000 mufflers for the troops. The men will be in the open all winter, and will need all the warm clothing that can be got by public and private funds and work.

The recent sale of the books show that the receipts have been \$307.78, and the disbursements, not including the amount given to the two relief funds mentioned above, \$123.30, leaving a balance in the bank of \$184.48.

THE RED CROSS

is also doing good work in this district. Mrs. G. H. Patrick has taken a very active part in the work, and already several shipments have been sent forward by the efforts of ladies in this district.

The following is a report sent by the Convener:
The Convener of Group 35 Red Cross Society wishes to acknowledge

WHY BUY AT HOME?

Because our interests are here

Because the community that is good enough for us to live in is good enough for us to buy in

Because we believe in transacting business with our friends

Because we want to see the goods we are buying

Because some of every dollar we spend at home stays at home and helps work for the welfare of our home town

Because the home man we buy from pays his share of the taxes

Because the man we buy from helps to support our poor and needy, our schools, our churches and our homes

Because when bad luck, misfortune or bereavement comes the man we buy from is here with his kindly expressions of greeting, his words of cheer, and if need be, his pocket-book

Let us make Strathmore a good place in which to work and live

It's easy and certain if every one will contribute his share. Strathmore merchants can supply all your needs and if you take them your Cash you will get just as good values as you can by sending your money to the Mail Order Houses.

BE LOYAL TO YOUR OWN COMMUNITY

RUSSIANS IN GERMANY

Official communications from the Russian headquarters received this morning state that much progress is being made in the invasion of East Prussia and Galicia.

An official communication from the Russian General Naval Staff gives details of the sinking of several Turkish transports and other vessels in the Black Sea by Russian warships.

The British War Office is making a direct inquiry to all waters throughout the British Isles asking if they are willing to enlist.

THE COMMERCIAL HOUSE :

Rates \$2.00 and \$2.50 per day

AMERICAN PLAN

ledge the receipt of \$8.50, the result of a guessing competition held recently in Carsland by Mrs. Palmer Ralph. Such work as this in the cause is much appreciated. Other donations received were—\$8 silk handkerchiefs per Miss Coke, \$3.50 per Mrs. Tomlin, 2 pairs wristlets per Mrs. McNeill, 2 pairs socks per Mrs. C. K. Anderson, U.S.A.

Belgian Relief Fund

The appeal made in our last issue for clothing and money for the relief of the distress in Belgium caused by the German Huns, who have driven the peaceful inhabitants, men, women and children, from their homes, have destroyed their buildings, and generally swept over the country like a pestilence, has been very generously responded to, both with goods and money, and Mr. Van Tighem is now on hand a large amount of clothing. The distress is on a huge scale, however, and all the help that can be given is urgently required. Mr. Jos Van Tighem is handling the fund locally, and will receive any money or articles sent.

LOCAL FARMERS WILL GIVE WHEAT

Strathmore U.F.A. have shown that their hearts are in the right place by a proposal that each member contribute one sack of wheat, or its equivalent which will be used for the relief of distress in Belgium. The announcement was made at the union sale on Saturday. The wheat can be handed in at the Farmers' yard, and every farmer can contribute.

Owing to the war, farmers are selling their grain at largely enhanced prices, and they will doubtless come through generously to the aid of the suffering Belgians.

The Belgian Relief Fund already acknowledged with thanks the receipt of the equivalent of one sack of wheat from Mr. Henry Sorenson, president of the Union.

Hallowe'en must have been uproariously celebrated in Langdon. No less than twenty summons have been issued in connection with the doings on the 31st. The cases will be heard to-day.

Dave Williams, of the Club Cafe, is leaving for the Old Country, where he expects to enlist with the Welsh Division being formed. When Dave goes away we will lose one of our leading Strathmore humorists. He has a very powerful imagination.

A concert and dance is being promoted for next Wednesday evening in aid of the Belgian Relief Fund. The "bushy" are back of it, so look out for something more than usually interesting.

Give your business to the advertisers in the Strathmore Standard. The merchant who publishes the figures he is selling his goods at deserves your support. Shop where you are invited to shop.

The King Edward Hotel

STRAITHMORE, ALTA.

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The kind you have been looking for.
Stoves that, once "set," burn all night without requiring constant attention. They are here in variety. Come in.

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The best stock and largest selection in the town

BLANKETS

Are a reasonable purchase. We have them at prices from \$1.60 up

FOOT WARMERS

Regular \$2.25, and 1-lb. Clark's Coal reg \$1.25 all for

\$2.50

Harness and Shoe Repairs are promptly and skillfully done here. Bring in your harness and let us oil and repair it for you.

T. H. EVES

AGENT FOR DE LAVAL SEPARATORS AND ONTARIO LAUNDRY

The Rexall Store

An Ideal Shampoo Paste—Everyone should carefully and thoroughly wash the hair once a week, not often. Too frequent washings cause the hair to become dry and brittle. When not washed often enough, waste matter accumulates and clogs the pores of the scalp, which creates irritation, a condition favorable to the growth of fern matter, which causes scurf and hair diseases resulting in baldness.

Rexall "99" Shampoo Paste is unsurpassed for cleansing, soothing and softening the scalp. It removes dandruff scales, cleanses the pores of the scalp, makes the hair soft, silky, naturally glossy and fluffy. Price per jar 30c.

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EVERYTHING detracts from your normal appearance. The strain of new production wrinkles; causes you to squint; through half-closed eyes; makes it hard to look straight at an object for any length of time. Your eyes are much more tired than you are not just right, you are greatly over-taxed.

Right in Strathmore you can have your eyes tested by the most up-to-date scientific apparatus. If you feel that your eyesight could be at all improved visit **ESSON**, the practical optician.

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*Of
Spanish
Origin*



*The French Peasant's
Smock*



*From Russia
Comes this Costume*



*In Switzerland
They wear something
Like This*



*An
Adaptation
of the
Albanian*

EUROPE claims the attention of all nations at present, and the picturesque national costumes of the different countries are brought into prominence. Many who are familiar with the gala attire of the peasantry will recognize the principal features of the national costumes in the styles of the present. The designers have been inspired to adapt the smocks, bodices, coats and tunics, with slight variations, to the lines countenanced by the fall fashions.

In the fields of Normandy and Touraine the peasants wear loose-hanging smocks of dull blue, gray or tan-colored materials, and from these a designer evolved the stunning smock frock shown here. The smock of black satin slips over the head and extends well over the skirt of flowered black satin, showing a tulip design in bright blue and red.

The sleeves of the smock are of the same material, fitting the wrists closely. Light blue braid is used to lace the shoulder and underarm seams together, and tassels of small black beads ornament the ends. This frock is simple, yet decidedly distinctive.

From colorful Spain comes the fascinating costume with the bolero jacket of the tereador. The underbust is of canary-yellow chiffon, and over it is arranged the bolero of dark red silk, bordered with a narrow pleated frill of the same material. The skirt has an accordion-pleated overskirt of dark red silk, which falls over a foundation to correspond. The hip each is of yellow silk, and the ends are ornamented with red silk tassels.

Among the mountains of Switzerland dwell the sturdy men who till the soil of the mountainsides during the short summer. Their costume consists

of a white blouse, red, blue or black jacket and knee breeches of worsted material to match. A modification of this costume is the suspender frock. White chiton cloth is used for the blouse and the suspenders and skirt are of dark blue serge. The broad girdle is of softly folded red silk crepe. This is an excellent model for practical wear.

Many of the fashions now in vogue have been inspired by costumes worn in the land of the czar. The frock with the long Russian tunic is of dark blue crepe meter, and the skirt of the tunic is gathered in full lines. The blouse buttons at the side in true Russian fashion, while a broad girde of leaf-green silk crepe and the collar of white mousseline de soie complete the stunning effect of this model.

The Albanian peasant wears a long, loose, sleeveless coat, a conception of which appears in the gown showing the modish magnific combination. The coat is of black foulard dotted with white, and it is worn over a blouse of white mousseline de soie. The lower edge of the coat is hooped up and binding of black satin outlines the neck line and the sleeves. The skirt is of black silk crepe; the upper tier is open to the waist and the corners are rounded.

If you admire the unusual in fashion, adopt the peasant styles.

THE REXALL STORES OF CANADA

CONTRIBUTE TO THE CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND

The Rexall Stores of Canada, 400 of the leading Drug stores in Canada have unanimously agreed to contribute to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, FIVE PER CENT of their total purchases of all Rexall Toilet Goods, Rexall Remedies and other merchandise manufactured or sold by the United Drug Company, Limited, Toronto, from October 15th to December 31st, 1914.

This action of the Rexall Drug Stores of Canada has been undertaken co-operatively, because as a co-operative organization they realize how much more can be done jointly than individually, and it has been taken for two reasons: to fulfill a humane duty in making a fund for the relief work of the Canadian Patriotic Organization and a patriotic duty in its endeavor to keep a large staff of employees busy.

The 400 Rexall Stores of Canada make an appeal to your sympathy and support in their doubly worthy cause for increasing the funds of the Canadian Patriotic Organization and for the support of Canadian Workmen.

The fund that would be raised on the basis of last year's business can be tremendously increased if every man and woman in Canada will help a little by the simple process of purchasing Rexall Goods at the Rexall Store.

No need to give a penny in this announcement to emphasize the high quality of Rexall Toilet and Medicinal Goods. Sufficient to say that 200 of the leading Drug Stores in Canada, Great Britain and the United States place their personal and collective reputations behind them; that the public of these countries endorse them to the extent of several million dollars worth of purchases a year.

Better goods are not made, and you take no risk in buying, for every Rexall Store will return you your money if any Rexall Product is not entirely satisfactory, and do so, too, without the slightest objection.

There's a full list of Rexall products waiting for you at the Rexall Store in your town.

Ask for it—kindly pass the word along to your friends. It is the collective purchases of all that will make this Rexall Store Fund for the Canadian Patriotic Organization a big one.

The Fund will be collected from each Rexall Store in Canada by the United Drug Company, Limited, Toronto, and will be paid by them direct to the officers of the Canadian Patriotic Organization, and the amount so collected will be published in this paper when paid over.

Rexall Goods are made in Canada and you can procure them in your town only from

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1914.

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Conservation in Canada

That the conservation movement has made distinct progress during the past year is clearly indicated in the "Fifth Annual Report" of the Commission of Conservation, which has just been issued.

In his annual address, the chairman of the Commission, Hon. Clifford Smith, covered the Commission's activities with respect to water and water-powers, minerals, public health, agriculture, fisheries and for bearing animals and forests.

Indicating clearly and succinctly a number of the problems that have been grappled with the advances that have been made in their solution.

With respect to the water-powers lengthy reports are presented covering the work in connection with the water-power surveys carried out by the Commission.

The Commission's Committee on minerals has been further strengthened by selecting as chairman, Dr. Frank D. Adams of McGill University.

The report contains an excellent review by Mr. W. J. Dick, mining engineer of the Commission.

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School Board

The regular meeting of Strathmore School Board was held in the Town Hall last Monday evening. All the members were present.

Bills for the working connection with the opening of the new school-room for higher grade work were read and considered. The interior of the old school has now been completely painted, and storm windows have been ordered.

The report of the trustees officer was read. It showed that the attendance was generally good, with few delinquents. Proceedings will be taken against these if they continue to play truant.

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

For the first time in the history of Strathmore School prizes will be given for proficiency in the various subjects and for attendance. The distribution will take place about Christmas, and probably a concert will be held. Offers were made by the members of the Board of special prizes to supplement the amount voted by the Board last February.

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Interdict Sentenced

At J. P. Court on Monday, before Justice Lambert, in expediting, I could not even get the manager to reprimand his foreman for driving a dog loose on my cattle on the railway crossing and putting up the gate behind them, the approaching train stopping within three yards of them.

Thanking you for the valuable space in your paper. Yours truly
HAROLD H. WOOSTER

Church Services

CATHOLIC CHURCH.
STRATHMORE DISTRICT.
Sacred Heart Church.

Month of November.
Sundays: Mass on All Saints Day (2nd Nov.) and on the second Sunday of November (9th Nov.) and on the fourth Sunday (30th Nov.).
All Saints Day: Mass on the 2nd Nov. and on the 4th Nov. and on the 10th Nov. and on the 16th Nov. and on the 22nd Nov. and on the 28th Nov.

St. Michael and All Angels.
Church of Holy Trinity.
Cath. First and Third Aves.

First Sunday: Mass on the 1st Nov. and on the 8th Nov. and on the 15th Nov. and on the 22nd Nov. and on the 29th Nov.

Second Sunday: Mass on the 5th Nov. and on the 12th Nov. and on the 19th Nov. and on the 26th Nov.

Third Sunday: Mass on the 12th Nov. and on the 19th Nov. and on the 26th Nov.

Fourth Sunday: Mass on the 19th Nov. and on the 26th Nov.

Fifth Sunday: Mass on the 26th Nov.

Sixth Sunday: Mass on the 3rd Dec.

Seventh Sunday: Mass on the 10th Dec.

Eighth Sunday: Mass on the 17th Dec.

Ninth Sunday: Mass on the 24th Dec.

Tenth Sunday: Mass on the 31st Dec.

Eleventh Sunday: Mass on the 7th Jan.

Twelfth Sunday: Mass on the 14th Jan.

Thirteenth Sunday: Mass on the 21st Jan.

Fourteenth Sunday: Mass on the 28th Jan.

Fifteenth Sunday: Mass on the 4th Feb.

Sixteenth Sunday: Mass on the 11th Feb.

Seventeenth Sunday: Mass on the 18th Feb.

BARGAINS WORTH WHILE

This week's specials include the following big bargains. Every item is a genuine money saver.

Extra special snap in LADIES FUR COATS

Ladies Russian Pony Coat selected skins, with beautiful broadwinged lining, deep shawl collar and cuffs, length 50 inches, good value at \$75. If you need a fur coat here is a snap that absolutely defies competition. On sale this week at \$59.

Ladies Muskrat Coat, with shawl collar and cuffs, beautiful soft skins, length 52 ins, selling in the city today for \$125. Don't buy a rat coat before this wonderful value. On sale at \$98.

SPECIAL SALE OF MEN'S SOX THIS WEEK

We bought up an eastern wholesaler entire surplus of 3 different lines in men's hose. The traveller made us a special price to clean out the lot, and we are offering you the chance to buy these at our special snap price.

Men's Fall weight
FANCY FINGERING HOSE
With more color attached,
reg 35c value, extra special
at 25c

Men's fancy
MERINO HOSE
While they last
at 25c pair

Men's black
CASHMERE HOSE
A good seller at 35c pair.
Only 60 of these to go
at 25c pair

Do you like
CELERY
Extra special this week
only, B.C. Celery, fine
white stock
4 lbs for 25c

"ALBERTA" FLOUR
Equal to any \$3.25
flour
Our price
\$2.90 sack

Only until Saturday night for
our special prices on
FLOUR
We are offering for the balance
of the week the same old
price on "Our Best" flour.
The lowest price in Alberta
for this grade. The Consumers'
League in Calgary are
25c higher on this flour.
If you need flour buy this
week. Our price after Saturday
will be the same as Calgary
Consumers' League,
which is \$3.45 a sack.
Special this week \$3.25

You save hard cash every time you give your order to

GATENBY & FISHER

WORKMEN CAN HELP
TROOPS AT FRONT

Urged to take Personal Interest in
the Most Active of Equipment

One of C. P. C.'s last known public relations officers, the employees of a large hotel and shop factory in Montreal, at their annual gathering last week at Montreal.

"This Company has obtained a contract from the Government for 40,000 pairs of shoes to be made by the workmen going to the front. I am informed by the managing director that a very low bid was put in for these shoes, primarily for the purpose of keeping men and women employed during these trying times.

Now, I want to say a word to you about the best contract. There have been a lot of men by the Canadian soldiers who go to war. A soldier's usefulness depends largely upon his ability to march. He cannot march unless his feet are sound, and his shoes can only be kept in good condition if his boots are right. The management will purchase the best material possible to fill this contract. The representatives will use the utmost vigilance, but unless everyone of you makes a personal matter, some of these boots may not be quite right. It is easy for a latter to leave a nail in the sole, which may leave a man who wears the boot. The men who get the shoes must put in some work shoes, in which case the soldier wearing those shoes could not use a specific property, and it might happen that in their being able to get into the front lines their very lives would depend. When you are putting in the contract, remember that a bad contract means a down-trodden heel and a blooded foot. 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Where Did You Get
That Hat?

The words of an old song were
recalled by a case at the J. P. Court
on Monday afternoon.

On the information of Indell
Leslie, Ed. Peterson was charged
with having deprived the former of
his Stetson hat value \$7, and having
kept it.

Justices Lambert and Vickery
were on the bench and Mr. T. M.
Wears appeared for the defence,
the prosecution was conducted by
Constable Hutchings.

The evidence of Leslie was to the
effect that he was rather intoxicated
on the evening of the 17th August,
and was taken to Knyvet's Livery
Barn by Peterson and John
Bass Hard. His hat was either
lost or stolen. He had not asked
Peterson for the hat, but his witness
had.

John Hard's evidence was to the
effect that Leslie was wearing a
hat when he went into the barn, but
that when he was put into the
huggy and driven home. After-
wards he had seen Peterson with a
hat similar to the one belonging to
Leslie.

Constable Smith spoke to having
served a summons on Peterson, and
of him remarking that he knew
nothing about a hat, and that he
had never seen Leslie or his hat.

Peterson, giving evidence on his
own behalf, said he was in the barn
that night, and took Leslie over
there drunk. The barn was dark,
and he did not know who he was
morning. He told O. H. Weir
that he had found Leslie's hat, and
shortly afterwards they drove out to
John Hard's to give him the hat for
Leslie, but there was nobody about.

He had never worn the hat, but had
it of his own somewhat similar.
The accused, during his evidence,
produced the hat from his pocket,
and it was handed over to Leslie.
Mr. Wears said that he could
not have been a technical offence
committed, but it was done in
ignorance. The ends of justice
would be served with a reprimand.

The justice concurred, and the
case was dismissed.

Elevator Tax Tangle

WORRIES TOWN COUNCIL

After an argument lasting nearly
an hour, Strathmore Town Council
decided, at their meeting held on
Tuesday evening last, to allow the
Alberta Pacific Grain Co. an opportunity to appeal against their
assessment.

The matter was brought up by
letter from Loughhead, Bennett and
McLaws, representing the elevator
company, giving notice of appeal.
The Council were not very sure as
to whether they had a right to
appeal, but as there was a doubt
about it, decided to give them the
benefit of it and the appeal will
come before the Council within the
next two weeks, if the Town Solicitor
advises to that effect.

It may be mentioned that up to
this year the elevators or other
property on the C.P.R. right of way
had not been assessed, but this year
they have been. The total amount
to be collected from these properties
is \$637.45, an nice little sum which
has seemingly been overlooked by
the town assessor in the past.

The complaint of the Alberta Pacific
that the assessment is excessive and
illegal, but the Imperial Oil Company,
which is the heaviest taxpayer on
that side, have already paid their
taxes, amounting to \$187, and the
Imperial Elevator have also paid
their tribute without a murmur.

A BRIGHT SUGGESTION

Some one, who preferred to re-
main anonymous, wrote the Council
stating that instead of apportioning
the local train running agency,
they should make the reasonable
suggestion to the C.P.R. that the
westbound transcontinental train be
run or to, instead of 5:30 p.m.,
as at present.

The Council took the view that ask-
ing the C.P.R. to change this trans-
continental time by half-day
would not seem as reasonable to the
C.P.R. as the corresponding thought
it would.

LICENSING TRUCK DRIVERS

In reply to an inquiry from the
Council, the town assessor, Bertie A.
McIntyre, stated that they could send
nothing in the Town Act to authorize
the Council to collect license fees from
truck drivers.

USE OF TOWN HALL

A request from the Audubon Young
People's Association for the use of the
Town Hall one night per week was granted.

PARK MONEY RECEIVED

The Council have now received the pro-
ceeds of the park obsequies, \$100, at
the close of day, caused by the fire.

C.P.R.'s \$100 has now been spent, but
there is still about \$1,000 on hand to com-
plete the job.
Baxter Bros. were given the balance
due to them, \$255, on the current dis-
counts.

Twenty-Five Wage
Cases

The Town Hall presented as
crowded an appearance as does the
ordinary U. F. A. meeting, at the
sitting of the J. P. Court on
Monday.

No less than twenty-five wage
claims were forward, and with
those interested or sympathetic, and
those interested in the other case
tried that afternoon, every available
chair was occupied.

The wage claimants were all em-
ployees of the Steele & Moore Es-
tate, which has been in trouble for
some time past.

In the first cases brought forward
Mr. F. T. McElhose, trustee of the
estate, told that if the amounts
claimed for were correct they would
be paid. These men had hoped to
get their money out of the
grain threshed fall, but on ac-
count of it being seized for previous
labor liens, they had been unable to
get the money. If the amounts
were correct the passage of the
claim through this court would en-
able them to get their money.

An arrangement, we understand,
was come to between the men and
Mr. McElhose, regarding the pay-
ment of the wages.

Mr. Wears appeared for the men.

Sudden Death of Local
Farmer

Our readers will regret to hear of
the sudden death of Mr. Robt. J.
Gray, which took place with
remarkable suddenness at his home
on the Namaka Colony two-and-a-
half miles east of Strathmore, on
Sunday evening. When he took
ill Dr. Givins was summoned, but
Mr. Gray had expired before he
could reach him.

The funeral will take place to-
morrow at Strathmore (Wednesday). A service will be held at
the Presbyterian Church at 4:30
p.m.

The deceased gentleman is sur-
vived by his widow and a family of
eight, four boys and four girls, with
whom he resided. He was born in
1912, to the Namaka Colony, and
had settled down happily and suc-
cessfully in the new land. He was
fifty-one years of age, and the
youngest of a family of six, of
which he was the first to be taken.

He was a member of the Baptist
Church, Laxfield, England, and
since coming out here had associ-
ated himself with Strathmore Presby-
terian Church.

Successful Auction

The Farmers' Co-operative Trading
Co.'s monthly Auction on Sat-
urday last was attended by a big
crowd, and bidding was brisk.
The total realized was in the
neighborhood of \$1000. Mr. J. T. Worthing-
ton was the auctioneer.

Teams sold up to \$225, cows and
bull up to \$60, milk cows up to
\$75, 2-year-old heifers \$50, year-
lings \$20, Young hogs were a slow
trade, and sold cheap. Chickens,
sold well, and a wagon load of
turkeys are disposed of at good
prices.

Sheep were a new feature of the
auction, and a quantity were dis-
posed of at \$5.50 each.

Announcement was made at the
auction of the appeal to farmers
for the gift of a sack of wheat
apiece, which is referred to in
another column. The next auc-
tion will be held in about three
weeks time.

Advices from Seattle predict a
high price for hogs shortly, and
state that farmers would be well
advised to keep their hogs, instead
of selling them off now. It is
stated that the difference between the
C.P.R. and Seattle shippers are
about to be adjusted. The only
thing that the Seattle people say
that will prevent Canadian hogs
fetching a good price is that some
hog raisers are not putting them
on the market in good shape and
feeding them light on account of the
high prices of grain.

BUSINESS AS USUAL

Cold weather will create sudden demands for
winter goods that will rise in proportion to the drop in
temperature.

The Xmas holiday goods are expected to arrive
this week. That is what Santa Claus tells us in his
letter received to-day. He instructs us to prepare as
much room as we possibly can for his wonderful dis-
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Next week's advertisement will give you full par-
ticulars

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3.50 " 2.65	4.50 " 3.35

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Oranges per doz .25	MEN'S WORK SHIRTS
2 lbs Ginger Snaps .25	AT 25% DISCOUNT
3 lbs Gilt Edge Cocoa .10	\$.75 Shirts now 57c
1 lb's 40c Tea for \$1	1.00 " 75c
2 tins Tomatoes .25	1.25 " 95c

2 tins Peas, Corn and Beans .25	50c Men's NECKTIES for 25c
Pumpkins, per tin .10	New stock of dozens of New Patterns
Pure Jam per tin .50	
Mixed Nuts per lb .25	

TOBACCO SPECIALS

3 plugs Shamrock .25	HALF PRICE SALE OF HAND PAINTED CHINA
Do Black Watch .25	Buy your Xmas presents at 13c up
5 plugs Pay Roll .45	New shipment of Cardies just arrived
3 tins Forest and Stream .25	\$1.75 SUGAR \$1.75
3 bags Great West .25	Our cash price this week only
3 plugs Smiles .25	
2 1/2 lb tin Royal Mint .50	
1/2 lb tin Senator .50	

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